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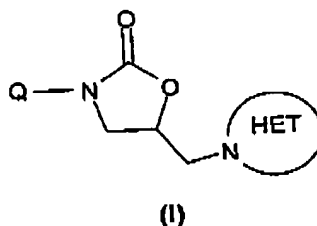
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Amendments to the Claims:

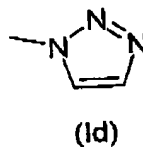
This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Claims:

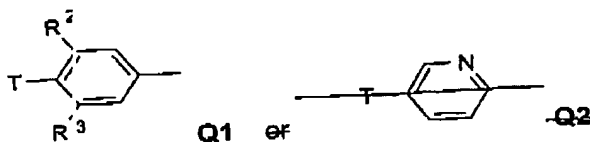
1. (Currently Amended) A compound of the formula (I), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, or an in-vivo-hydrolysable ester thereof,



wherein -N-HET is



Q is

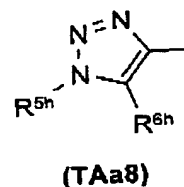
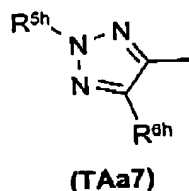
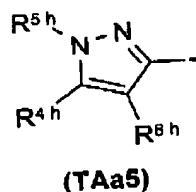
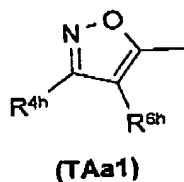


R₂ and R₃ are independently selected from H, F, Cl, CF₃, OMe, SMe, Me and Et;

T is selected from the groups in (TAa1) to (TAa12):

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wherein :

R^{6h} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl;

R^{4h} and R^{5h} are independently selected from hydrogen, cyano, hydroxy(1-4C)alkyl, cyano(1-4C)alkyl, phosphoryl(1-4C)alkyl, benzyl (optionally substituted on the phenyl ring by one substituent selected from halo, methyl and methoxy), (1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkyl substituted with ORc (wherein Rc is $R^{13}CO$ and R^{13} is selected from Rc2b), (1-4C)alkanoyl and (1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl;

(Rc2b) (1-10C)alkyl

{optionally substituted by one or more groups (including geminal disubstitution) each independently selected from hydroxy, (1-10C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkanoyl, carboxy, phosphoryl [-O-P(O)(OH)₂], and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], phosphinyl [-O-P(OH)₂ and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], and amino; and/or optionally substituted by one group selected from phosphonate [phosphono, -P(O)(OH)₂], and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], cyano, halo, phosphinate [-P(OH)₂ and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], trifluoromethyl, (1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, (1-4C)alkylamino, di((1-4C)alkyl)amino, (1-6C)alkanoylamino, (1-4C)alkoxycarbonylamino, N-(1-4C)alkyl-N-(1-6C)alkanoylamino, (1-4C)alkylaminocarbonyl, di((1-4C)alkyl)aminocarbonyl, (1-4C)alkylS(O)_pNH-, (1-4C)alkylS(O)_p((1-4C)alkyl)N-, fluoro(1-4C)alkylS(O)_pNH-, fluoro(1-4C)alkylS(O)_p((1-4C)alkyl)N-, (1-4C)alkylS(O)_q- [the (1-4C)alkyl group of (1-4C)alkylS(O)_q- being optionally substituted by one substituent selected from hydroxy, (1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkanoyl, phosphoryl [-O-P(O)(OH)₂], and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], phosphinyl [-O-P(OH)₂ and mono- and di-(1-4C)alkoxy derivatives thereof], amino, cyano, halo, trifluoromethyl, (1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl, carboxy, (1-4C)alkylamino, di((1-4C)alkyl)amino, (1-6C)alkanoylamino, (1-4C)alkoxycarbonylamino, N-(1-4C)alkyl-N-(1-

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6C)alkanoylamino, (1-4C)alkylaminocarbonyl, di((1-4C)alkyl)aminocarbonyl, (1-4C)alkylS(O)_pNH-, (1-4C)alkylS(O)_p-((1-4C)alkyl)N-, and (1-4C)alkylS(O)_q-.

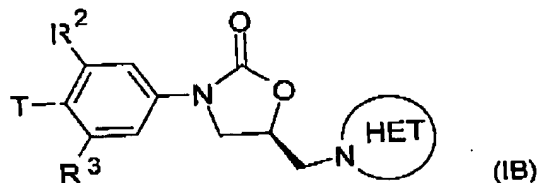
2. (Cancelled)

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Previously Presented) The compound of claim 1, wherein R² and R³ are independently hydrogen or fluoro.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Previously Presented) The compound of claim 1, which is a compound of formula (IB)



wherein

R² and R³ are independently hydrogen or fluoro;

R^{6h} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl;

R^{4h} and R^{5h} are independently selected from hydrogen, cyano, hydroxy(1-4C)alkyl, cyano(1-4C)alkyl, phosphoryl(1-4C)alkyl, benzyl (optionally substituted on the phenyl ring by one substituent selected from halo, methyl and methoxy), (1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkyl substituted with OR_c (wherein R_c is R¹³CO and R¹³ is selected from R_{c2b}), (1-4C)alkanoyl and (1-4C)alkoxycarbonyl.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Previously Presented) A method for producing an antibacterial effect in a warm blooded animal which comprises administering to said animal an effective amount of a compound of claim 1.

9 – 10. (Cancelled)

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11. (Previously Presented) A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a compound of claim 1, and a pharmaceutically-acceptable diluent or carrier.

12. (Canceled)

13. (Previously Presented) A compound which is

(5R)-3-[3-Fluoro-4-(3-methylisoxazol-5-yl)phenyl]-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2-one;

Ethyl 5-{2-fluoro-4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}isoxazole-3-carboxylate;

(5R)-3-[3-Fluoro-4-[3-(hydroxymethyl)isoxazol-5-yl]phenyl]-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2-one;

(5-{2-Fluoro-4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}isoxazol-3-yl)methyl dihydrogen phosphate;

1-Methyl-3-{4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}-1H-pyrazole-5-carbonitrile;

1-Methyl-3-{4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}-1H-pyrazole-5-carbaldehyde;

(5R)-3-[3-Fluoro-4-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)phenyl]-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2-one;

(5R)-3-[3-Fluoro-4-(1-methyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)phenyl]-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2-one;

(5R)-3-[3-Fluoro-4-(2-methyl-2H-1,2,3-triazol-4-yl)phenyl]-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2-one;

(4-{2-Fluoro-4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)acetonitrile; or

(4-{2-Fluoro-4-[(5R)-2-oxo-5-(1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-ylmethyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]phenyl}-2H-1,2,3-triazol-2-yl)acetonitrile.